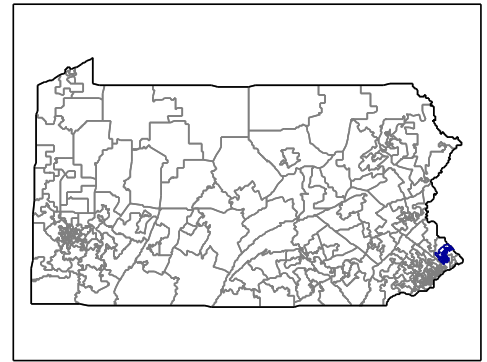


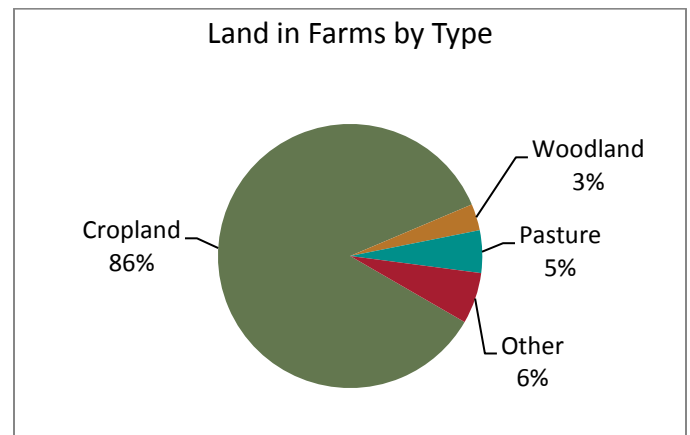
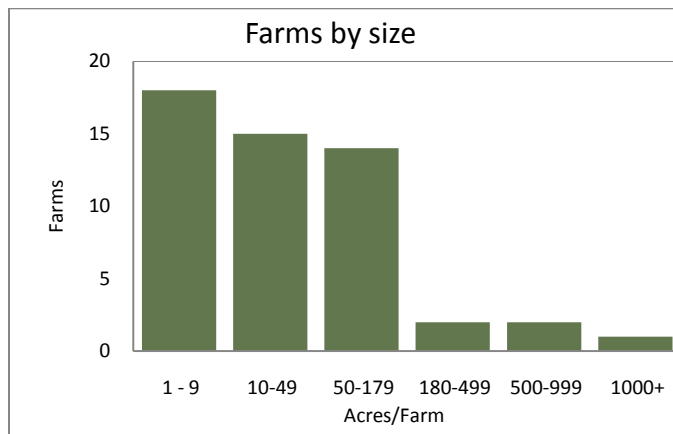
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Pennsylvania House District 178

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	87	76	+ 14
Number of Farms	52	49	+ 6
Land in Farms	6,865 acres	7,452 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	132 acres	152 acres	- 13
Irrigated Land	58 acres	19 acres	+ 205
Market Value of Products Sold	\$6,473,000	\$5,619,000	+ 15
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$124,478	\$114,671	+ 9
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$355,000	\$143,000	+ 148
Government Payments	\$55,000	\$53,000	+ 4
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,087	\$6,666	- 9



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Ranked items among the 203 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	6,473	101	176
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,210	83	171
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	1,263	107	165
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,306	84	143
Tobacco	-	-	30
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	329	87	148
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	140
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,215	36	152
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	92	125
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	152
Poultry and eggs	6	118	147
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	149
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	97	128
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	128
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	119	134
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	25	102	135
Aquaculture	-	-	83
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	130
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	2,588	83	142
Soybeans for beans	(D)	74	121
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	1,001	115	157
Wheat for grain, all	274	83	126
Vegetables harvested for sale	207	72	148
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves	669	108	151
Ducks	(D)	33	122
Layers	201	117	141
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	127
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	(D)	112

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	18	Farming	36
\$1,000 to \$2,499	6	Other	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6	Male	37
\$20,000 to \$24,999	3	Female	15
\$25,000 to \$39,999	-		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	58
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$500,000 or more	7	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,543	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	106,597	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,339	White	85
Average per farm (\$)	25,751	More than one race	-
		All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	1

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹ Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.